

Publick Levys of this Province which many times amounte to a small summe of Tobacco
 and coming to the severall persons within this Province to demande & receive the
 same & not finding Tobacco ready payed doe commonly marke the Inhabitants
 Tobacco houses wherein and farr greater quantities of Tobacco then will pay the said
 Rents & Levys and order them not to dispose of any the said Tobacco till the same
 Rents & Levys be payd whereby the said Inhabitants are Debarred from
 Laying out their said Tobaccoes where they Conveniently may and when
 Necessity requires to their great losse & damage for provencion whereof for the future
 Bee itt enacted by the Right Hon^{ble} the Lord Proprietary of this Province by &
 with the advice and consent of the upper and lower houses of this present Gen^l Assembly
 & the Authority of the same That any person or persons whatsoever Merchant
 or others within this Province that hath any times within these twelve months
 last past received marked and Nayled or for the future shall receive marked &
 Nayled any hoggsheads of Tobacco within this Province of any persons Debtors
 within this Province & which hath been paid & delivered to them for satisfaction
 of their said debts And such Merchants & others hand upon the Receipt
 marking & Nayling of such hoggsheads of Tobacco delivered upp to their
 Respective Debtors their bills or other Securities passed by such Debtors for
 security of their said debts or if the said Merchants & others have given
 Bonds or discharged to the said Debtors of the said debts and that before the said
 Merchants or others could remove the said Hoggsheads of Tobacco from the said
 Debtors Tobacco houses any Sheriffs within this Province shall come & seize
 such hoggsheads of Tobacco so marked and Nayled as aforesaid That then in
 every such case if the party refuse to make & give to his said Creditors some
 other full satisfaction for their said severall debts It shall and may be
 lawfull for any two of his Lordships Justices of the Beare of the Respective
 Counties within this Province upon due proofs made before them two of the
 Justices of the said debt & of the said Sheriffs seizure as aforesaid & that the
 party Debtor refuse to make their Creditors full satisfaction for their said
 debts at the Creditors Request to award out Execution with Costs against the body
 goods or Chattels of such Debtors to be executed by the severall Sheriffs for
 satisfaction of the said Creditors Just debts in as full & ample manner as if the said
 debts had been legally Recorded by due Course of Law. And if itt shall happen
 the said debts so seized by the Sheriffs shall amount to more then the Jurisdiction
 of the County Courts will beare then itt shall & may be lawfull for any one of the
 Justices of the Provinciaall Court all the Request of such Creditors to award
 Execution for such debts either by *Capias ad Satisfactionem fieri facias* or
Edgitt (all the Execution of the said Creditors) for the Recovery of the said debts
 as aforesaid any Law Statute or Customs to the Contrary Notwithstanding
 Provided that his Lordships Justices doe call before them both parties &
 witnesses for due proofs of the Justness of the said debt & of the said Sheriffs
 seizure as aforesaid And that as in all other (will cause in his Lordships Courts
 the party last shall satisfy the Costs & Court Charges And that noe Sheriffs within
 this Province shall seize or marke any persons Inhabiting within this Province
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